



# The Daily Courant.

Monday, June 7. 1714.

Part of a Letter from Jamaica to a Gentleman at London.

Jamaica, March 10.

**W**E have in a Manner lost all our Trade with the Spaniard: Hardly a good Voyage has been made hence to the Coast since you left us, and the Spanish Ports are too well guarded at present, they having now four Ships of War, one whereof is the Hampton-Court, which are stationed at Cartagena, Porto-Bello, the Havana, and la Vera Cruz. Thornton (who commanded a Jamaica Sloop, whose Cargo cost above 10000 Pounds, and had neither traded nor broke bulk when taken) was lately made Prize by the Hampton-Court, and his Vessel condemned at Cartagena; and I was informed by him since his Return hither, that the French have now in the South-Seas near upon 30 Sail of Ships: So that you may guess what a Condition we are like to be in here as to our Trade.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated June 12.

Stockholm, May 26. We have received certain Advice by Letters written from Finland the 9th, that on the 3d there had been an Action at Sea off Abo, between a Swedish Man of War and three Gallies, and 86 Muscovite Vessels, which were all taken or sunk: Of 300 Muscovite Prisoners taken on that Occasion 47 are already brought hither, and more are expected shortly. The Government have received the following Account of that Action.

**T**WO Swedish Gallies having approached the Harbour of Abo, and perceiving there a good Number of Vessels great and small, made a shew at first of retiring. The Muscovites seeing that, put out of the Port with all their Vessels and Shallops to the Number of 80, well manned with Soldiers and Rowers, and attacked the Swedish Gallies: But these retiring as they fought, held the Muscovites in play till another Galley and a Man of War called the Wolgast came to their Assistance, and then renewed the Fight with all Vigour. The Muscovites hereupon endeavoured to draw off, but having engaged too far, all their Vessels were taken or sunk, and above 300 Men taken Prisoners, among them two Captains and some Lieutenants. In six Finland Vessels which were among them, were found several Grenadiers of divers Nations, with some Stores of Ammunition and Provisions, which were immediately sent to our Fleet at Hanghen.

From the Hague Courant, dated June 11.

Madrid, May 21. The King was extremely moved at the News of the Death of his Brother the Duke of Berry, which was brought hither the 13th Instant. Last Week his Majesty had an Indisposition in his Stomach, which was followed by a Vomiting and some Symptoms of a Fever; but Yesterday he found himself well enough again to eat, and afterwards went to take the Air as usual.

Paris, June 4. We are informed, that the Count de Simiani and two other Favourites of the Duke of Orleans, are forbidden the Court by the King, and ordered to some distant Place in Banishment; and that other Gentlemen of that Duke's Household are like to have the same Treatment. The Reason of this is said to be, their talking with too much Freedom of the great Likelihood there now is of that Duke's Succeeding soon to the Crown.

From the Antwerp Courant, dated June 12.

St. Omer, June 8. Yesterday passed by here above 2000 more Soldiers and Pioneers, towards Bourbourg, to help to work for finishing with the

greater Expedition the Canal and Harbour of Mardyke, it being the King's Pleasure that all should be completed before Winter. No Person is to build any new House at or near Mardyke, without Leave first obtained from the Intendant. 'Tis said, that for the Benefit of Commerce, a Canal will be made likewise from Mardyke to Bergh St. Winoc.

Hague, June 12. We have Letters from Petersburg which relate, that the Czar's Fleet put to Sea from Cronstot the 18th of last Month, and that the Czar himself was to sail from Revel with the Ships of War he had there to joyn them. This being the first Fleet of any considerable Strength that the Muscovites ever had at Sea, and being almost wholly manned with such as never saw a naval Engagement, his Caarian Majesty has judged it proper to see what they are capable of doing, and to command in Person as Admiral.

Letters from Berlin of the 5th Instant advise, that the King of France having notified by a Letter to the King and Queen of Prussia the Death of the Duke of Berry, the Court of Berlin are gone into Mourning for a Month or 6 Weeks.

The last Advices from Vienna relate, that the Emperour holds frequent Councils about the Affairs of the Spanish Netherlands, being determined to restore those Provinces to a more flourishing Condition than they have been in of a long time; which shews that the pretended Project of an Exchange of that Country for Bavaria was without Ground, or at least if it was actually started is now sunk.

London, June 7.

On Saturday arrived the Mail due from France.

From the Paris Letter, dated June 12.

Paris, June 12. 'Tis advised from Madrid the 28th of May, that the King went the 26th to the Pardo, with the 3 Princes, all in perfect Health. 'Tis advised from Bar-le-Duc the 6th Instant, that the Chevalier de St. George was returned thither from Luneville; and that according to some Advices from Germany, the preparing of the Equipages of the Electoral Prince of Hanover was laid aside, &c. The King went Yesterday to Rambouillet for 8 Days. His Majesty has nominated M. de Bellefontaine to go to command the Squadron before Barcelona, in the Room of M. du Cassé and d'Aligre, who are indisposed; and has ordered that the Officers named to command the French Troops which are going to Catalonia, set forward from hence by the 15th of this Month at furthest; and they will be followed in a few Days by the Marshal Duke of Berwick.

London, June 7.

On Saturday South-Sea Stock was 88 to 87 seven eights. Bank 121 one quarter. India 124 one quarter. African 36.

For the Benefit of Mr. Dursley.

By Her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

**A**T the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Monday, being the 7th of June, will be presented a Comedy call'd, The Richmond Heire, or, A Woman owns in the Night. And at the Office of several Persons of Quality, and to entertain them and others of his Friends, there will be a New Oration by way of Prologue, written and so to be said by Mr. Dursley, part of it design'd for a New Comedy of his call'd, A Wife with a Kingdom. With variety of Songs.

**A**rryal of Skill to be fought at the Bear-Garden in M. row Bro. viz. At the backside of Somo-Square, at the N. end of St. Dunstons Church, being the 9th of June, beginning at 1 of the Clock precisely, between John Parkes of Cheshire, Master of the Noble Science of Defence, with 1200 Pounds, and Mr. Ruck and his 120 Scholars. Note, We shall all fight on the Day above mentioned, with Mr. Ruck of Cheshire, Master of the said Science, Thomas Commins and James Figg, his two Scholars.



**At the Cockpit Royal on the South Side of St. James's Park,** this present Monday, being the 7th of June, will be seen the Royal Sport of Cockfighting, for a Guinea's Battle. To Morrow, being the Match between the Gentlemen of Deptford and Greenwich, and the Gentlemen of Westminster, for four Guinea's a Battle, and 20 Guinea's the odd Battle. Beginning exactly at five o'Clock, and continuing all the Week.

**Dropt the 28th of May last in Gutter-Lane,** in the parish of St. Vedast, was Forster, London, a fair full faced Boy, in a Red and White Stock, about one Year Old, weak in his Legs. If any Person can give Information whereby the said Parsh may be Discharged of him, shall receive a Reward of Forty Shillings from the Churchwarden of the said Parish, and all Charges born.

#### To be Lett,

**At Kingston upon Thames, near the Water-Side,** a Brick House, with 6 Rooms and a Garret, with a Convenient Cellar, Buttries, and other Conveniences, a Garden well planted with Fruit-Trees, and a Banqueting House looking towards Hampton-Court, being well furnished, and the Goods to be sold Standing. Inquire of Mr. John Sewers at Leather-feller's Hall in Little St. Helen's in Bishopgate-street, London, and know further.

**An extraordinary and great Collection of Antiques, Original Drawings, and other rare Curiosities,** Collected by a very curious Gentleman, will be sold by Auction at the Crown-Garden Coffee-house, being the south End of the Little Piazza, Covent-Garden, on Wednesday next, being the 9th Instant. The Antiques are all very precious Stones, and of an extraordinary fine Engraving, most part of them Greeks and Romans. The Drawings are of the most and best Italian Masters. The above said Rareties may be seen this Day the 7th, to Morrow the 8th, and Wednesday till the time of Sale, which will begin at 11 o'Clock in the Morning for the Antiques, and 6 o'Clock in the Evening for the Drawings, and to continue till all are sold. Catalogues may be had at Slaughter's Coffee-house the Upper End of St. Martin's Lane, and at the Place of Sale.

**A Catalogue of the Libraries of Christopher Constantine of the Inner-Temple, Esq;** and of another Gentleman deceased: Consisting of a Collection of valuable Books, of the Common and Civil-Law, Divinity, History, &c. several with written References, and many Gilt or Lettered on the Back, with Manuscripts, and many more not in this printed Catalogue, which will begin to be sold at the Pall-mall Coffee-house with a Temple-Bar, (the fair Way of the Price being put on the first Leaf) on Wednesday the 9th Instant, beginning at 8 in the Morning, and continuing till 7 in the Evening, three Days and no longer. The Books may be viewed this Day the 7th Instant. Catalogues are delivered at Mr. Barker's in Westminster Hall, Mr. Stokoe's against the News-Gate, at D. Brown's Warehouse in Exeter Exchange, J. Brown's without Temple-Bar, Mr. Clement's in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Bircham's in Cornhill, Bookellers, and at the Place of Sale.

**The Auction of Pictures against the House of Commons** being cleared, there is sent in to be sold by Auction, a large Collection of Pictures on Copper Plates, taken in the South-Sea, by Captain Dover, Comadore of the Duke and Duchess, who was fired out at Bristol, and took the Aquapula Ship. There will be sold with them about 40 other fine Copper Pictures, and about 100 more Original Pictures of all Sizes, fit for Walls, Rooms, Parlors, Chimney-Pieces and Closets, likewise some other valuable Rareties. This Sale begins on Wednesday the 9th Instant, at 11 o'Clock. The Pictures are to be viewed this Day and to Morrow, and till the time of Sale.

#### To be Sold by AUCTION,

**On Thursday the 9th Instant, all the Shop Goods** late of Mrs. J. Brahen, Cabinet-maker, at an House over-against Burley-street-end by Exeter-Exchange in the Strand; consisting of fine Book-Cases, Cabinets, Bureaus, Chells of Drawers, Looking-Glasses, Chimney-Glasses, Stoves, Tea-Tables, an Organ and Spinnet, a Darnack and other Beds and Bedding, Easy-Chairs, Carpets, and all his other Household-Goods. To be seen to Morrow, Wednesday, and Thursday till the Sale begins, which will be at one o'Clock precisely. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale. N.B. The House is to be Lett.

**Doctor Margaret's Collection of fine Original Pictures** by some of the most celebrated Masters, which he has been carefully collecting for this 20 Years past, both at Home and Abroad, will be sold by Auction, at Major-General Sibour's House in Litchfield Street, opposite Newport-Market, on Friday the 11th Instant. The Pictures may be seen on Wednesday and Thursday, the 9th and 10th, and Friday till the Time of Sale, which will begin at 11 o'Clock in the Morning precisely, because they must be all sold off that Day. Catalogues may be had at Mr. Cooper's the 3 Pidgeons in Half Moon-street in the Strand, and at the Place of Sale. N.B. The House to be Lett.

#### For SALE by RETALE,

**Bordeaux Brandy, Canary, New Claret, Flask** Florence, Red and White French Wines, and Port Wines, all Neat, as it was imported. A great Quantity of all sorts of the said Brandy, and Wines fit to Bottle, lying in a large Vault in Suffolk-lane in Cannon-street, under the late Dwelling-house of Mr. Nathaniel Wood, near Merchant-Taylor's School. The Brandy is to be sold at 10 s. 6 d. per Gallon. Canary at 7 s. per Gallon. New French Claret at 9 s. per Gallon. New Florence in Flasks at 1 s. per Flask. Port Wine at 1 s. per Gallon. French Claret at 8 s. per Gallon. French White Wine at 4 s. 6 d. per Gallon. Note, That no less Quantity than a Gallon is to be sold, and that at the same Place there is a parcel of extraordinary Ruffols of all sorts, newly come from France, at 1 s. per Bottle.

**This Day is published, adorned with a curious Frontispiece,**

**The Adventures of Rivella, or the History of** the Author of the Astruc. Interperfed with Memoirs and Characters of several Persons Contemporary with the said Author. Related in a Conversation to the young Chevalier d'Amont in Somerset House-Garden, by Sir Charles Lovemore. Done into English from the French. Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick Lane, Price 2 s. in Sheep, 2 s. 6 d. in Calves Leather. Just published. The New Astruc for the Year 1719. Printed for E. Curl at the Dial and Bible against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street.

**The LATIN TONGUE made Easy,** by a practical Method founded upon Reason and Experience, free from the tedious Terms of Schools, not burthenfome to the Memory, requiring much Study, or hindring Business, but very pleasant as well as profitable to the Learner: By which Gentlemen or other Persons of either Sex, above the Age of 14, may become capable of rendering Latin into English, and English into Latin, (by their Attendance only one Hour at a time, 3 Days in a Week) in 3 Months time from their beginning to learn of W. TAZWELL, the first Proposer of this Method, who has given entire Satisfaction to all who have learnt of him. He attends Persons at their Dwellings or elsewhere, agrees by the Week or otherwise, and may be heard of, or sent to by Letter &c. every Day, between the Hours of 2 and 4 in the Afternoon, at Bourne's Coffee-house in Finch lane near the Royal-Exchange. He also teaches Children at their Parents Houses, by a Method suited to their Capacities, by which they may be freed from School-Drudgeries, and be grounded in the Latin-Tongue, with much more Certainty, Expedition and Satisfaction to Parents, than in the common Way.

**Coniac Brandy of the true Flavour,** perfectly Genuine, a very considerable Parcel, at 10 s. 6 d. per Gallon, and 12 s. 1 per Ton: As likewise net French Brandy at 8 s. per Gallon, and 9 s. 1 per Ton: With Spanish and other Foreign Brandy only. At the French Brandy Vault under the Black-Lyon near Mercer's Chappel in Cheap-side. Note, The Coniac Brandy paid 6 s. 8 d. per Gallon Duty.

#### This Day is Published,

**Reasons for the Law now depending in Parliament** to prevent the further Growth of Schism: Shewing that the Indulgence granted to Dissenters is dangerous both to Church and State. Price 6 d. Also, **Of the Power of Parliament:** Being a View of Government in Europe. With other Political Observations. By Tho. Rymer, Esq; late Historiographer Royal. Price 1 s. Now Reprinted on Mr. Steele's being expell'd the House. Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick lane. Where may be had, **Speculum Clericorum:** Being a Confutation of Dr. Clark's Scripture-Doctrines of the Trinity. Pr. 6 d.

#### This Day is Published,

**A brief Survey of the Legal Liberties of the Dissenters:** And how far the Bill now depending conflicts with preserving the Toleration Inviolably. Wherein the present Bill is published, and also the Toleration Act at large, that they may be compared with one another. Printed for J. Baker, at the Black-Boy in Peter-Nothor Row. Price Six Pence.

**The Interest of England considered, with Respect to Protestant Dissenters.** Price 1 s. The Rights of the Protestant Dissenters; in two Parts: With a Dedication to her Majesty. Price 2 s. 6 d. The Protestant Union, or Principles wherein English Protestants are agreed. Price 3 d. An Essay concerning the Power of the Magistrate, and the Rights of Mankind in Matters of Religion; with three other Tracts of the same Author. Price 4 s. Mr. Bayle's Philosophical Commentary on Luke 14. 23. Compel them to come in, that my House may be full: In which 'tis proved among other things, that hereticks have as much Right to persecute the Orthodox, as the Orthodox them. In two Vols. Price 8 s. All sold by John Darby in Bartholomew Close.

#### To Morrow will be Published,

**A Letter to the Honourable Arthur Moore, Esq;** Commissioner of Trade and Plantation, containing necessary Arguments to convince such who any ways doubt of the Advantages of the Treaty of Commerce with France. Printed for J. Roberts, near the Oxford-Arms in Warwick-lane. Price Six Pence.

**The famous Plaster for the Stomach,** which infallibly cures all sorts of Agues in 24 Hours time without any other Physick, now esteemed and recommended by the most knowing Physicians, as the best and most infallible Remedy for curing Agues that ever was found out, in many Thousand Experiments it has not once failed, most of the Agues that were cured last Year were cured by it. It is now sold only at Mr. Delf's, a Bookfeller, at the Cross Keys and Bible in Cornhill, near Stocks-Market, at 2 s. the Gallipon, with Directions. At the same Place is also sold the most excellent Plaster for Corns, being the only infallible one in the World for giving present Ease, and taking them quite away. Price 1 s. with Directions.

**An Incomparable pleasant Tincture to restore the Sense of Smelling,** tho' lost for many Years, a few Drops of which being snuffed up the Nose, infallibly Cures those who have lost their Smell, let it proceed from what Cause soever. It admirably open all manner of Obstructions of the Olfactory, or smelling Nerve, comforts and strengthens the Head and Brain, and revives the Smelling Faculty to a Miracle, effectually removing whatever is the Cause of the Disorder of that Sense, and perfectly Cures, so as to cause the Person to smell as quick and well as any one in the World. Price 2 s. 6 d. a Bottle. Sold only at Mr. Payne's Toy-shop at the Angel and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, near Cheap-side, with Directions.

**This is to give Notice,** That the Royal Chymical Wash-Balls for the Hands and Face, are removed from Mr. Lembert's the Glovers, to prevent the Publick's being imposed on by Counterfeits, and are now sold only at Mr. Allcroft's Toyshop at the Blue-Coat-Roy against the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, and at Mrs. Giles's, stillener, near Hercules-Pillars-Alley by the Temple. They have above these 8 Years been largely experienced and highly commended by all that use them, and that for making the Skin so delicately soft and smooth, as not to be paralleld by either Wash, Powder, Cosmetics, &c. they being indeed real Beautifiers of the Skin, by taking off all Deformities, as Tetters, Ring-worms, Mole-pox, Sun-burn, Scurf, Pimples, Pitts or Redness of the Small-pox, and keeping it of a lasting and extreme Whiteness. They soon alter red or rough Hands, and are admirable in Shaving the Head, for they not only give a more exquisite sharpness to the Razor, but so comfort the Brain and Nerves, as to prevent catching Cold. They are of a grateful and pleasant Scent, without the least Grain of Mercury; and are sold only by Mr. Allcroft, and Mrs. Giles, as above, price 1 s. each, and no where else in London by Retail, therefore beware of Counterfeits, which are not only ineffectual but may also prove dangerous.